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Guido Calabresi
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1932
Education: Yale 1953 BS; Oxford (UK) 1955 BA, 1959 MA; Yale 1958 LLB
Began Service: September 16, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Visiting Professor, Harvard University (1969-1970); Dean and Sterling Professor of Law Emeritus, Yale Law School (1985-1994)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Hugo L. Black, Supreme Court of the United States (1958-1959)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Law Institute; American Trial Lawyers Association; Association of American Law Schools; Connecticut Bar Association; National Association of Women Lawyers; National Bar Association; Society of American Law Teachers

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José A. Cabranes
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1940
Education: Columbia 1961 AB; Yale 1965 JD; Cambridge (UK) 1967 MLitt
Began Service: August 12, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton
Political Affiliation: Independent

Affiliation: Trustee, Columbia University

Academic: Instructor in Puerto Rico and United States History, Rio Piedras, PR, Colegio San Ignacio de Loyola (1961); Supervisor in International Law, Queens' College, University of Cambridge (1966-1967); Associate Professor of Law, Rutgers University (1971-1973); General Counsel and Director of Government Relations, Yale University (1975-1979); Lecturer in Law, Yale University (1976-1982); Trustee, Colgate University (1981-1990); Trustee, Yale University (1987-1999)

Chambers of Circuit Judge José A. Cabranes continued

Government: Consultant, New York Commission on the Powers of Local Government (1971); Special Counsel, Governor Rafael Hernández Colón (PDP-PR), Commonwealth of Puerto Rico (1973-1975); Head, Office of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico (1973-1975); Commissioner, President's Commission on Mental Health, Executive Office of the President, Jimmy Carter Administration (1977-1978); Member, United States Delegation to the Belgrade Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe (1977-1978); Consultant to the Secretary, United States Department of State (1978); Commissioner, President's Commission on White House Fellowships, Executive Office of the President, William J. Clinton Administration (1993-1996)

Judicial: District Judge, United States District Court for the District of Connecticut (1979-1994); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of Connecticut (1992-1994)

Legal Practice: Casey, Lane & Mittendorf (1967-1971)

Current Memberships: American Academy of Arts and Sciences, Fellow; American Bar Foundation, Fellow; Connecticut Bar Association; Hispanic National Bar Association

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Rosemary S. Pooler
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1938
Education: Brooklyn 1959 BA; Connecticut 1961 MA; Michigan 1965 JD
Began Service: June 9, 1998
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Visiting Professor, Syracuse University School of Law (1987-1988)

Government: Director, Consumer Affairs Unit and Assistant Corporation Counsel, City of Syracuse, New York (1971-1973); Common Counsel, City of Syracuse, New York (1974-1975); Chair and Executive Director, New York State Consumer Protection Board (1976-1981); Commissioner, State Public Service Commission, State of New York (1981-1986); Staff Director, Subcommittee on Utility Structure and Management of Regulated Utilities, Committee on Corporations, Authorities and Commissions, New York State Assembly (1987)

Judicial: Justice, New York Supreme Court, Fifth Judicial District (1991-1994); Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of New York (1994-1998)

Legal Practice: Associate Attorney, Crystal, Manes & Rifken (successor firm Rifken, Frankel & Greenman, P.C.) (1966-1969); Associate Attorney, Michaels and Michaels (1969-1971)

Nonprofit: Upstate Regional Coordinator, New York Public Interest Research Group (1974-1975); Vice President for Legal Affairs, Atlantic States Legal Foundation, Inc. (1989-1990)

Current Memberships: Association of the Supreme Court Justices of the State of New York; Central New York Women's Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Onondaga County Bar Association; Women's Bar Association of the State of New York

Staff

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Education: St Lawrence 1978 BA

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Chester J. Straub
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1937
Education: St Peter's Col 1958 BA; Virginia 1961 JD
Began Service: July 15, 1998
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Government: Member, New York State Assembly (1967-1972); Member, New York State Senate (1973-1975)

Judicial: Special Master, New York State Supreme Court (1977-1984); Mediator, United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (1993-1998); Neutral Evaluator/Mediator, United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York (1994-1998)

Legal Practice: Associate, Willkie Farr & Gallagher (1963-1970); Partner, Willkie Farr & Gallagher (1971-1998)

Military Service: United States Army (1961-1963)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Association of the Bar of the City of New York; New York State Bar Association

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Robert D. Sack
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1939
Education: Rochester 1960 BA; Columbia 1963 LLB
Began Service: August 6, 1998
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Clerkships: Law Clerk, Judge Arthur S. Lane, United States District Court for the District of New Jersey (1963-1964)

Corporate: Secretary, Ottaway Newspapers, Inc. (1978-1998)

Government: Associate Special Counsel/Senior Associate Special Counsel, Impeachment Inquiry Staff, Committee on the Judiciary, United States House of Representatives (1974)

Chambers of Circuit Judge Robert D. Sack continued

Legal Practice: Associate then Partner, Patterson, Belknap, Webb & Tyler (and predecessor firms) (1964-1986); Partner, Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher, LLP (1986-1998)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation; American Judicature Society; Association of the Bar of the City of New York

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Sonia Sotomayor
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1954
Education: Princeton 1976 BA; Yale 1979 JD
Began Service: October 13, 1998
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Affiliation: Adjunct Professor, School of Law, New York University; Lecturer-in-Law, Columbia Law School

Government: Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, County of New York, New York (1979-1984)

Judicial: District Judge, United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (1992-1998)

Legal Practice: Associate then Partner, Pavia & Harcourt (1984-1992)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Philosophical Society; Association of Judges of Hispanic Heritage; Hispanic National Bar Association; National Association of Women Judges; New York Women's Bar; Puerto Rican Bar Association

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